# REACH CHURCH LIFE GROUP LEADER GUIDE



## Living A Spirit Filled Life

"Live Filled. Love Boldly"

John 7:38 (NIV) -

"Whoever believes in Me...rivers of living water will flow from within them."

### **Church Highlights**

As you give, remember —
your generosity fuels ministry
that brings God's presence
into homes and hearts.

### **Prayer Points**

Lord, fill us afresh with Your Spirit— revive our hearts, renew our longing for intimacy with You, and make us responsive to Your leading.

### **Kingdom Impact**

Your faithful giving makes a difference as your tithes and offerings impacts us locally and beyond.

Our giving highlight for the month of October / November is Operation

Christmas Child

### **Discussion Questions For Groups**

### THRIVE Spiritually

- What stood out in the sermon about the difference between being religious and being Spiritfilled?
- How does the image of God "breathing" life (Genesis 2:7; John 20:22) shape your view of prayer and dependence on the Spirit?

### THRIVE Relationally

- In what ways
   does an intimate
   relationship with
   the Spirit
   change how
   you relate to
   family or
   friends? Give a
   recent example
   or a hope.
- How can our small groups better practice listening to the Spirit together? What might that look like?

### THRIVE Missionally

- Acts 1:8 says we receive power to be witnesses.
   Where around you is a "mission field" that needs Spirit-empowered witness?
- What is one simple, Spirit-led action our church could take this month to serve the lost and broken? (Examples: homerepair teams,

#### **Questions for Parents**

- Ask your child: "If Jesus gives us living water and breath, what does that feeling look like for you?" Let them draw or act it out.
- Read John 7:38 together and ask: "Where could we share 'living water' this week?" Make a family plan (e.g., bake for neighbor).

### **Sermon Summary**

### A Step Back in Time: A Personal Story

This weeks sermon from Pastor Burt Campbell invites listeners to rediscover the normality of a Spirit-filled life. Through a personal story, Pastor Campbell traced Scripture's steady message: God breathed life into us, Jesus breathed the Spirit to his followers, and the Father promises the gift of the Holy Spirit to all who repent and believe.

Being filled with the Spirit is not a rare experience for elite Christians but the intended, empowering spiritual rhythm for every follower of Jesus – enabling intimate relationship with God and equipping us to witness, serve, and love the lost and broken.

The message calls the church to embrace Spiritempowered practice in personal devotion and communal life so that we might grow, speak, and carry God's presence into our neighborhoods.

#### **Pastoral Care**

We have a pastoral care team to walk alongside people through life's challenges, with their permission. Should anyone in your group or serve team experience sickness, death of a loved one, marriage challenges, or surgeries, please contact us at connect@reachchurchnetwork.org!

#### The 4 Q's

- 1. How long have you been dealing with this?
  2. Who else knows?
- 3. Have you received any advice or council on how to deal with this?
- 4. Do you have any plans for your next steps?